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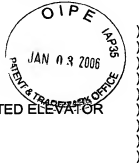
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DE 36 34 859	12-3-87	Germany
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